

school district's land consists primarily of Indian reservation land, which is not subject to the property tax that is the predominant source of funding for public schools in Nebraska. Walthill Public School receives Federal Impact Aid funds. As a result, Walthill has virtually no tax base available for bond issues. This proposal is an attempt to reverse the recent re-segregation of the Native American population at the school, which has resulted from the declining level of education and education services at Walthill.

Third, this Member appreciates the \$500,000 in funds provided in the Environmental Protection Agency's portion of this conference report for the University of Nebraska-Lincoln's Water Sciences Laboratory at the Water Center. These funds are needed by the Water Sciences Laboratory to assist in the purchase of the next generation in field and laboratory equipment so that it can maintain its capability to address ground and surface water quality problems.

The Water Sciences Laboratory does both regional field research and analytical research in ground and surface water quality throughout the north-central United States. The Laboratory is responsible for the development of innovative field methods to remediated hazardous water contamination.

Finally, Mr. Speaker, this Member urges his colleagues to support the conference report for H.R. 2620.

Mr. WALSH. Mr. Speaker, I have no further requests for time, and I yield back the balance of my time.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Without objection, the previous question is ordered on the conference report.

There was no objection.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the conference report.

Pursuant to clause 10 of rule XX, the yeas and nays are ordered.

Pursuant to clause 8 of rule XX, this 15-minute vote on adoption of the conference report will be followed immediately by a 5-minute vote on the motion to instruct conferees on H.R. 3061.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 401, nays 18, not voting 13, as follows:

[Roll No. 434]

YEAS—401

Abercrombie	Berman	Callahan	Hall (TX)	McKinney
Ackerman	Biggert	Calvert	Hansen	McNulty
Aderholt	Bilirakis	Camp	Harman	Meehan
Akin	Bishop	Cannon	Hart	Meek (FL)
Allen	Blagojevich	Cantor	Hastings (FL)	Meeks (NY)
Andrews	Blumenauer	Capito	Hastings (WA)	Menendez
Armey	Blunt	Capps	Hayes	Mica
Baca	Boehlert	Cardin	Hayworth	Millender-
Bachus	Boehner	Carson (IN)	Herger	McDonald
Baird	Bonilla	Carson (OK)	Hill	Miller, Dan
Baker	Bonior	Castle	Hilleary	Miller, Gary
Baldacci	Bono	Chabot	Hilliard	Miller, George
Baldwin	Borski	Chambliss	Hinchey	Miller, Jeff
Ballenger	Boswell	Clay	Hinojosa	Mink
Barcia	Boucher	Clayton	Hobson	Mollohan
Barr	Boyd	Clement	Hoeffel	Moore
Barrett	Brady (PA)	Clyburn	Holden	Moran (KS)
Bartlett	Brady (TX)	Coble	Holt	Moran (VA)
Barton	Brown (FL)	Collins	Honda	Morella
Bass	Brown (OH)	Combest	Horn	Murtha
Becerra	Brown (SC)	Condit	Houghton	Myrick
Bentsen	Bryant	Cooksey	Hoyer	Nadler
Bereuter	Burr	Costello	Hulshof	Napolitano
Berkley	Buyer	Cox	Hunter	Neal

Coyne	Hyde	Nethercutt	Tauzin	Udall (CO)	Weiner
Cramer	Insee	Ney	Taylor (MS)	Udall (NM)	Weldon (PA)
Crane	Isakson	Northup	Taylor (NC)	Upton	Weller
Crenshaw	Israel	Norwood	Terry	Velázquez	Wexler
Crowley	Issa	Nussle	Thomas	Visclosky	Whitfield
Culberson	Istook	Oberstar	Thompson (CA)	Vitter	Wicker
Cummings	Jackson (IL)	Obey	Thompson (MS)	Walden	Wilson
Cunningham	Jackson-Lee	Oliver	Thornberry	Walsh	Wolf
Davis (CA)	(TX)	Ortiz	Thune	Wamp	Woolsey
Davis (FL)	Jefferson	Osborne	Thurman	Waters	Wu
Davis (IL)	Jenkins	Owens	Tiahrt	Watkins (OK)	Wynn
Davis, Jo Ann	John	Oxley	Tiberi	Watson (CA)	Young (AK)
Davis, Tom	Johnson (CT)	Pallone	Tierney	Watt (NC)	Young (FL)
Deal	Johnson (IL)	Pascarell	Towns	Watts (OK)	
DeFazio	Johnson, E. B.	Pastor	Turner	Waxman	
DeGette	Johnson, Sam	Payne			
DeLauro	Jones (NC)	Pelosi			
DeMint	Jones (OH)	Pence			
Deutsch	Kanjorski	Peterson (MN)	Berry	Hooley	Schaffer
Diaz-Balart	Kaptur	Peterson (PA)	Capuano	Hostettler	Sensenbrenner
Dicks	Keller	Petri	Filner	Kerns	Shays
Dingell	Kelly	Phelps	Flake	Paul	Tancredo
Doggett	Kennedy (MN)	Pickering	Hefley	Roemer	Toomey
Dooley	Kennedy (RI)	Pitts	Hoekstra	Royce	Weldon (FL)
Doolittle	Kildee	Platts			
Doyle	Kind (WI)	Pombo			
Dreier	King (NY)	Pomeroy			
Duncan	Kingston	Portman			
Dunn	Kirk	Price (NC)			
Edwards	Klecicka	Pryce (OH)			
Ehlers	Knollenberg	Putnam			
Ehrlich	Kolbe	Quinn			
Emerson	Kucinich	Radanovich			
Engel	LaFalce	Rahall			
English	LaHood	Ramstad			
Eshoo	Lampson	Rangel			
Etheridge	Langevin	Regula			
Evans	Lantos	Rehberg			
Everett	Larsen (WA)	Reyes			
Farr	Larson (CT)	Reynolds			
Fattah	Latham	Riley			
Ferguson	LaTourette	Rivers			
Fletcher	Leach	Rodriguez			
Foley	Lee	Rogers (KY)			
Forbes	Levin	Rogers (MI)			
Ford	Lewis (CA)	Rohrabacher			
Fossella	Lewis (GA)	Ros-Lehtinen			
Frank	Lewis (KY)	Ross			
Frelinghuysen	Linder	Rothman			
Frost	Lipinski	Roukema			
Gallely	LoBiondo	Roybal-Allard			
Gekas	Lowey	Rush			
Gephardt	Lucas (KY)	Ryan (WI)			
Gibbons	Lucas (OK)	Ryun (KS)			
Gilchrest	Luther	Sabo			
Gillmor	Lynch	Sanchez			
Gilman	Maloney (CT)	Sanders			
Gonzalez	Manzullo	Sandlin			
Goode	Markey	Sawyer			
Goodlatte	Mascara	Saxton			
Gordon	Matheson	Schakowsky			
Goss	Matsui	Schiff			
Graham	McCarthy (MO)	Schrock			
Granger	McCarthy (NY)	Scott			
Graves	McCollum	Serrano			
Green (TX)	McCrery	Sessions			
Green (WI)	McDermott	Shadegg			
Greenwood	McGovern	Shaw			
Grucci	McHugh	Sherman			
Gutierrez	McInnis	Sherwood			
Gutknecht	McIntyre	Shimkus			
Hall (OH)	McKeon	Shows			
Hall (TX)	McKinney	Shuster			
Hansen	McNulty	Simmons			
Harman	Meehan	Simpson			
Hart	Meek (FL)	Skeen			
Hastings (FL)	Meeks (NY)	Skelton			
Hastings (WA)	Menendez	Slaughter			
Hayes	Mica	Smith (MI)			
Hayworth	Millender-	Smith (NJ)			
Herger	McDonald	Smith (TX)			
Hill	Miller, Dan	Smith (WA)			
Hilleary	Miller, Gary	Snyder			
Hilliard	Miller, George	Solis			
Hinchey	Miller, Jeff	Souder			
Hinojosa	Mink	Spratt			
Hobson	Mollohan	Stark			
Hoeffel	Moore	Stearns			
Holden	Moran (KS)	Stenholm			
Holt	Moran (VA)	Strickland			
Honda	Morella	Stump			
Horn	Murtha	Stupak			
Houghton	Myrick	Sununu			
Hoyer	Nadler	Sweeney			
Hulshof	Napolitano	Tanner			
Hunter	Neal	Tauscher			

NAYS—18

Berry	Hooley	Schaffer
Capuano	Hostettler	Sensenbrenner
Filner	Kerns	Shays
Flake	Paul	Tancredo
Hefley	Roemer	Toomey
Hoekstra	Royce	Weldon (FL)

NOT VOTING—13

Burton	Ganske	Ose
Conyers	Kilpatrick	Otter
Cubin	Largent	Traficant
Delahunt	Lofgren	
DeLay	Maloney (NY)	

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Ms. HOOLEY of Oregon, Mr. KERNs and Mr. HOEKSTRA changed their vote from "yea" to "nay."

Mrs. BIGGERT and Messrs. WEINER, WU and THOMPSON of California changed their vote from "nay" to "yea."

So the conference report was agreed to.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

Stated for:

Mr. OTTER. Mr. Speaker, because my beeper malfunctioned, I did not arrive here in time to vote on the conference report on H.R. 2620, otherwise known as the VA-HUD bill.

Had I been here I would have voted in favor.

APPOINTMENT OF CONFEREES ON H.R. 3061, DEPARTMENTS OF LABOR, HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, AND EDUCATION, AND RELATED AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS ACT, 2002

MOTION TO INSTRUCT CONFEREES OFFERED BY MR. OBEY

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. SIMPSON). The pending business is agreeing to the motion to instruct conferees on the bill, H.R. 3061, offered by the gentleman from Wisconsin (Mr. OBEY) on which the yeas and nays were ordered.

The Clerk will designate the motion. The Clerk designated the motion.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion to instruct offered by the gentleman from Wisconsin (Mr. OBEY).

This will be a 5-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 367, nays 48, not voting 17, as follows:

[Roll No. 435]

YEAS—367

Abercrombie	Eshoo	Larson (CT)
Aderholt	Etheridge	Latham
Allen	Everett	LaTourette
Andrews	Farr	Leach
Armey	Fattah	Lee
Baca	Ferguson	Levin
Bachus	Filner	Lewis (CA)
Baird	Fletcher	Lewis (GA)
Baker	Foley	Lewis (KY)
Baldwin	Forbes	Linder
Ballenger	Ford	Lipinski
Barcia	Fossella	LoBiondo
Barr	Frank	Lowey
Barrett	Frelinghuysen	Lucas (KY)
Bass	Frost	Lucas (OK)
Becerra	Gallegly	Luther
Bentsen	Gekas	Lynch
Bereuter	Gephardt	Maloney (CT)
Berkley	Gibbons	Manzullo
Berman	Gilchrest	Markley
Berry	Gillmor	Mascara
Biggert	Gilman	Matheson
Bilirakis	Gonzalez	Matsui
Bishop	Gordon	McCarthy (MO)
Blagojevich	Goss	McCarthy (NY)
Blumenauer	Graham	McCollum
Boehler	Granger	McCreery
Boehner	Graves	McDermott
Bonilla	Green (TX)	McGovern
Bonior	Green (WI)	McHugh
Bono	Greenwood	McInnis
Borski	Grucci	McIntyre
Boswell	Gutierrez	McKeon
Boucher	Gutknecht	McKinney
Boyd	Hall (OH)	McNulty
Brady (PA)	Hansen	Meehan
Brown (FL)	Harman	Meek (FL)
Brown (OH)	Hart	Meeks (NY)
Brown (SC)	Hastings (FL)	Menendez
Bryant	Hastings (WA)	Mica
Burr	Hayes	Millender-
Buyer	Hill	McDonald
Callahan	Hilleary	Miller, Dan
Calvert	Hilliard	Miller, Gary
Camp	Hinchey	Miller, George
Cannon	Hinojosa	Miller, Jeff
Capito	Hobson	Mink
Capps	Hoefel	Mollohan
Capuano	Hoekstra	Moore
Cardin	Holden	Moran (KS)
Carson (IN)	Holt	Moran (VA)
Carson (OK)	Honda	Morrell
Castle	Hoolley	Murtha
Chabot	Horn	Nadler
Chambliss	Houghton	Napolitano
Clay	Hoyer	Neal
Clayton	Hulshof	Nethercutt
Clement	Hyde	Ney
Clyburn	Inslee	Northup
Combest	Isakson	Norwood
Condit	Israel	Nussle
Cooksey	Issa	Oberstar
Costello	Istook	Obey
Coyne	Jackson (IL)	Olver
Cramer	Jackson-Lee	Ortiz
Crenshaw	(TX)	Osborne
Crowley	Jefferson	Owens
Cummings	Jenkins	Oxley
Cunningham	John	Pallone
Davis (CA)	Johnson (IL)	Pascarell
Davis (FL)	Johnson, E. B.	Pastor
Davis (IL)	Jones (OH)	Payne
Davis, Jo Ann	Kanjorski	Pelosi
Davis, Tom	Kaptur	Peterson (MN)
Deal	Keller	Peterson (PA)
DeFazio	Kelly	Petri
DeGette	Kennedy (MN)	Phelps
DeLauro	Kennedy (RI)	Pickering
Deutsch	Kildee	Platts
Diaz-Balart	Kind (WI)	Pomeroy
Dicks	King (NY)	Portman
Dingell	Kingston	Price (NC)
Doggett	Kirk	Pryce (OH)
Dooley	Kleczka	Quinn
Doyle	Knollenberg	Rahall
Dreier	Kolbe	Ramstad
Dunn	Kucinich	Rangel
Edwards	LaFalce	Regula
Ehlers	LaHood	Rehberg
Ehrlich	Lampson	Reyes
Emerson	Langevin	Reynolds
Engel	Lantos	Riley
English	Larsen (WA)	Rivers

Rodriguez	Simpson	Tierney
Roemer	Skeen	Towns
Rogers (KY)	Skelton	Turner
Rogers (MI)	Slaughter	Udall (CO)
Ros-Lehtinen	Smith (NJ)	Udall (NM)
Ross	Smith (TX)	Upton
Rothman	Smith (WA)	Velázquez
Roukema	Snyder	Visclosky
Roybal-Allard	Solis	Vitter
Rush	Souder	Walden
Ryan (WI)	Spratt	Walsh
Sabo	Stark	Wamp
Sanchez	Stenholm	Waters
Sanders	Strickland	Watkins (OK)
Sandlin	Stupak	Watson (CA)
Sawyer	Sununu	Watt (NC)
Saxton	Sweeney	Watts (OK)
Schakowsky	Tanner	Waxman
Schiff	Tauscher	Weiner
Schrock	Tauzin	Weldon (PA)
Scott	Taylor (MS)	Weller
Serrano	Taylor (NC)	Wexler
Shaw	Terry	Whitfield
Shays	Thomas	Wilson
Sherman	Thompson (CA)	Wolf
Sherwood	Thompson (MS)	Woolsey
Shimkus	Thornberry	Wu
Shows	Thune	Wynn
Shuster	Thurman	Young (AK)
Simmons	Tiberi	Young (FL)

NAYS—48

Akin	Goodlatte	Putnam
Bartlett	Hall (TX)	Radanovich
Barton	Hayworth	Rohrabacher
Blunt	Hefley	Royce
Brady (TX)	Herger	Ryun (KS)
Cantor	Hostettler	Schaffer
Coble	Hunter	Sensenbrenner
Collins	Johnson, Sam	Sessions
Cox	Jones (NC)	Shadegg
Crane	Kerns	Smith (MI)
Culberson	Myrick	Stearns
DeMint	Otter	Stump
Doolittle	Paul	Tancredo
Duncan	Pence	Tiahrt
Flake	Pitts	Toomey
Goode	Pombo	Weldon (FL)

NOT VOTING—17

Ackerman	DeLay	Lofgren
Baldacci	Evans	Maloney (NY)
Burton	Ganske	Ose
Conyers	Johnson (CT)	Trafigant
Cubin	Kilpatrick	Wicker
Delahunt	Largent	

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So the motion to instruct was agreed to.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

PERSONAL EXPLANATIONS

Mr. OSE. Mr. Speaker, I was unavoidably absent during rollcall votes 433, 434 and 435.

Had I been present, I would have voted "yes" on vote 433, approving the Journal, "yes" on vote 434, agreeing to the conference report on the Department of Veterans Affairs and Housing and Urban Development Appropriations for FY 2002, and "yes" on vote 435, the motion to instruct conferees on the Labor-HHS-Education Appropriations for FY 2002.

PERSONAL EXPLANATION

Ms. KILPATRICK. Mr. Speaker, due to personal business in my district, I am unable to be present for legislative business scheduled for today, Thursday, November 8. Had I been present, I would have voted "aye" on rollcall No. 433, on approving the Journal; rollcall No. 434, H.R. 2620, the VA-HUD appropriations conference report; and rollcall No. 435, on the motion to instruct House conferees on the bill H.R. 3061, the Labor-HHS-Education appropria-

PERSONAL EXPLANATION

Mrs. MALONEY of New York. Mr. Speaker, regrettably, I was detained at a meeting, my beeper did not go off and I missed two critically important votes.

On the conference report on H.R. 2620, I would have voted "yes"; and on the motion to instruct conferees on 3061 for Labor, HHS, Education Appropriations bill to insist the House level for education, I certainly would have voted "yes."

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. SIMPSON). Without objection, the Chair appoints the following conferees: Messrs. REGULA, YOUNG of Florida, ISTOOK, DAN MILLER of Florida, WICKER, Mrs. NORTHUP, Mr. CUNNINGHAM, Ms. GRANGER, Messrs. PETERSON of Pennsylvania, SHERWOOD, OBEY, HOYER, Ms. PELOSI, Mrs. LOWEY, Ms. DELAURO, Mr. JACKSON of Illinois and Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island.

There was no objection.

LEGISLATIVE PROGRAM

(Mr. FROST asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute).

Mr. FROST. Mr. Speaker, I yield to the gentleman from Texas to inquire about next week's schedule.

Mr. ARMEY. I thank the gentleman from Texas for yielding.

Mr. Speaker, I am pleased to announce that the House has completed its legislative business for the week.

The House will next meet for legislative business on Tuesday, November 13 at 12:30 p.m. for morning hour and 2 p.m. for legislative business. The House will consider a number of measures under suspension of the rules, a list of which will be distributed to Members' offices tomorrow. The House will also consider the Agriculture appropriations conference report, and we hope to complete an agreement to consider the Commerce-Justice-State appropriations conference report as well.

Mr. Speaker, on Tuesday, Members should be aware that there will be no recorded votes before 6:30 p.m. Mr. Speaker, let me repeat. In compliance with a request from the gentleman from Kansas (Mr. MORAN), on Tuesday no recorded votes are expected before 6:30 p.m.

On Wednesday and the balance of the week, the House will consider several authorization and appropriations bills now in conference. I will be happy to schedule them as soon as they become available.

Chairman YOUNG also reports that the markup of the Department of Defense Appropriations Act should be completed early next week, and I will schedule that bill for consideration in the House as soon as it is ready for the floor.

Mr. Speaker, I would also take this opportunity to remind Members that